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Hearing Aid Compatibility Status Report (FCC Form 655)

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General Report Information

Type of Company

Service Provider

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Did you offer any handsets to subscribers in the United States during the reporting period? Yes

Have you been offering handsets in the United States for at least three years prior to the end of the reporting period? Yes

Date that you began offering handsets in the United States

Are you a small entity? Yes

Were you a small entity at any time during the three years prior to the end of the reporting period?

Date that you ceased to be a small entity?

Company Information

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Product Labeling

Do all hearing aid-compatible handsets include labeling? Yes

Explain:

Do all hearing aid-compatible handsets that were tested under ANSI C63.19-2007, and that are capable of voice communication over any air interface or frequency band that does not have hearing aid compatibility technical standards under ANSI C63.19-2007, include the required language disclosing that the handset has not been rated for hearing aid compatibility with respect to such operation?

Yes

Explain:

Do all hearing aid-compatible handsets that were certified only under ANSI C63.19-2007, but that the manufacturer also tested and found not to meet hearing aid compatibility requirements under ANSI C63.19-2011 for one or more operations that are not covered under ANSI C63.19-2007, include language informing users by clear and effective means that the handset does not meet the relevant rating or ratings with respect to such operation(s)?

Yes

Explain:

Do all handsets that are capable of use for Voice over LTE, and that were certified for inductive coupling capability under ANSI C63.19-2011 without being tested for inductive coupling capability over VoLTE, include language disclosing that they were not tested with respect to this operation?

Yes

Explain:

Do all handsets that meet the criteria for an M3 rating by allowing the user to reduce the maximum power for GSM operation in the 1900 MHz band include the required disclosure?

Explain:

Public Website

Does your company maintain a public website describing all hearing aid-compatible models, the ratings of those models, and an explanation of the rating system? Service provider websites must include the levels of functionality that the service provider has defined, the level that each hearing aid-compatible model falls under, and an explanation of how the functionality of the handsets varies at the different levels.

Yes

Website address: http://www.custertel.net/cellular_hearingaidcompatibility.html

Explain:

Consumer Outreach

Describe consumer outreach efforts in the past 12 months: Along with providing detailed information about hearing aid-compatibility of wireless phones on the Company's web site, the company has instructed its sales staff about the availability of hearing aid-compatible phone models and it has signs in each store advertising the availability of hearing aid-compatible devices. The Company also has wireless industry pamphlets available that customers can take home with information on the FCC's requirements and HAC rating system. To the extent that additional information is developed by industry or the hearing aid community on the compatibility of certain phone models with particular hearing aids, the company will endeavor to make such information available to consumers.

Methodology for Functionality Levels

Basic phones (entry-level devices offered for \$10 or less); Feature phones (devices with more advanced features and capabilities offered for more than \$10); and Smartphone/PDAs (devices that run complete operating system software as a platform for application developers).

Report Remarks

You have reported the following handset model summary information.

Total number of handsets offered: 21

Air Interface	Fully Hearing Aid Compatible		Acoustic Coupling Compatible Only		Total by Air Interface
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
CDMA	20	95%	1	5%	21
LTE	17	100%			17
Wi-Fi	18	100%			18

Handset 1: Apple iPhone 7

Handset Maker

Apple

Handset Model Name

iPhone 7

FCC ID

BCG-E3085A

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

700 MHz LTE
850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA
2.4 GHz Wi-Fi

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 10/17 to 12/17

Ratings

M-Rating: M3

T-Rating: T4

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Smartphone/PDA

Remarks

Handset 2: Apple iPhone 7 Plus

Handset Maker

Apple

Handset Model Name

iPhone 7 Plus

FCC ID

BCG-E3087A

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

700 MHz LTE
850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA
2.4 GHz Wi-Fi

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 10/17 to 12/17

Ratings

M-Rating: M3

T-Rating: T4

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Smartphone/PDA

Remarks

Handset 3: Apple iPhone 8

Handset Maker

Apple

Handset Model Name

iPhone 8

FCC ID

BCG-E3159A

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

700 MHz LTE

850 MHz CDMA

1900 MHz CDMA

2.4 GHz Wi-Fi

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 12/17 to 12/17

Ratings

M-Rating: M3

T-Rating: T4

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Smartphone/PDA

Remarks

Handset 4: Apple iPhone 8 Plus

Handset Maker

Apple

Handset Model Name

iPhone 8 Plus

FCC ID

BCG-E3160A

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

700 MHz LTE

850 MHz CDMA

1900 MHz CDMA

2.4 GHz Wi-Fi

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 12/17 to 12/17

Ratings

M-Rating: M3

T-Rating: T4

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Smartphone/PDA

Remarks

Handset 5: Apple iPhone SE

Handset Maker

Apple

Handset Model Name

iPhone SE

FCC ID

BCG-E2945A

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

700 MHz LTE

850 MHz CDMA

1900 MHz CDMA

2.4 GHz Wi-Fi

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 10/17 to 12/17

Ratings

M-Rating: M3

T-Rating: T4

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Smartphone/PDA

Remarks

Handset 6: Kyocera E6782

Handset Maker

Kyocera

Handset Model Name

E6782

FCC ID

V65E6782

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA

1900 MHz CDMA

2.4 GHz Wi-Fi

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 04/15 to 05/17

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T3

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Smartphone/PDA

Remarks

Handset 7: LG Exchange/LGAN270

Handset Maker

LG

Handset Model Name

Exchange/LGAN270

FCC ID

BEJVN270

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA

1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 01/15 to 08/17

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T3

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Feature phone

Remarks

Handset 8: LG Fluid II

Handset Maker

LG

Handset Model Name

Fluid II

FCC ID

ZNFVN170

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA

1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 03/16 to 12/17

Ratings

M-Rating: M3

T-Rating:

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Basic

Remarks

Handset 9: LG G6

Handset Maker

LG

Handset Model Name

G6

FCC ID

ZNFVS988

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

700 MHz LTE
850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA
2.4 GHz Wi-Fi

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 05/17 to 12/17

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T3

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Smartphone/PDA

Remarks**Handset 10: LG K20****Handset Maker**

LG

Handset Model Name

K20

FCC ID

ZNFVS501

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

700 MHz LTE
850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA
2.4 GHz Wi-Fi

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 08/17 to 12/17

Ratings

M-Rating: M3

T-Rating: T3

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Smartphone/PDA

Remarks

Handset 11: LG K8

Handset Maker

LG

Handset Model Name

K8

FCC ID

ZNFVS500

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

700 MHz LTE

850 MHz CDMA

1900 MHz CDMA

2.4 GHz Wi-Fi

5.0 GHz Wi-Fi

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 08/16 to 11/17

Ratings

M-Rating: M3

T-Rating: T3

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Smartphone/PDA

Remarks

Handset 12: Samsung Chrono 2 R270

Handset Maker

Samsung

Handset Model Name

Chrono 2 R270

FCC ID

A3LSCHR270

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1700 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 12/15 to 12/17

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T4

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Basic

Remarks

Handset 13: Samsung G360R6 Core Prime

Handset Maker

Samsung

Handset Model Name

G360R6 Core Prime

FCC ID

A3LSMG360V

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

700 MHz LTE
850 MHz CDMA
1700 MHz LTE
1900 MHz CDMA
2.4 GHz Wi-Fi

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 05/17 to 10/17

Ratings

M-Rating: M3

T-Rating: T4

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Smartphone/PDA

Remarks

Handset 14: Samsung GALAXY S6 EDGE

Handset Maker

Samsung

Handset Model Name

FCC ID

GALAXY S6 EDGE

A3LSMG925V

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

700 MHz LTE
850 MHz CDMA
1700 MHz LTE
1900 MHz CDMA
2.4 GHz Wi-Fi
5.0 GHz Wi-Fi

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 07/15 to 06/17

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T3

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Smartphone/PDA

Remarks

Handset 15: Samsung Galaxy S6 Flat

Handset Maker

Samsung

Handset Model Name

Galaxy S6 Flat

FCC ID

A3LSMG920V

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

700 MHz LTE
850 MHz CDMA
1700 MHz LTE
1900 MHz CDMA
2.4 GHz Wi-Fi
5.0 GHz Wi-Fi

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 07/15 to 08/17

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T3

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Smartphone/PDA

Remarks

Handset 16: Samsung J3

Handset Maker

Samsung

Handset Model Name

J3

FCC ID

A3LSMJ327V

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

700 MHz LTE
850 MHz CDMA
1700 MHz LTE
1900 MHz CDMA
2.4 GHz Wi-Fi
5.0 GHz Wi-Fi

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 08/17 to 12/17

Ratings

M-Rating: M3

T-Rating: T3

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Smartphone/PDA

Remarks

Handset 17: Samsung N920R6 Note 5**Handset Maker**

Samsung

Handset Model Name

N920R6 Note 5

FCC ID

A3LSMN920V

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

700 MHz LTE
850 MHz CDMA
1700 MHz LTE
1900 MHz CDMA
2.4 GHz Wi-Fi
5.0 GHz Wi-Fi

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 11/15 to 08/17

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T3

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Smartphone/PDA

Remarks

Handset 18: Samsung Note 8

Handset Maker

Samsung

Handset Model Name

Note 8

FCC ID

A3LSMN950U

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

700 MHz LTE
850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA
2.4 GHz Wi-Fi

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 11/17 to 12/17

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T3

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Smartphone/PDA

Remarks

Handset 19: Samsung S7

Handset Maker

Samsung

Handset Model Name

S7

FCC ID

A3LSMG930US

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

700 MHz LTE
850 MHz CDMA
1700 MHz LTE
1900 MHz CDMA
2.4 GHz Wi-Fi
5.0 GHz Wi-Fi

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 04/16 to 12/17

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T3

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Smartphone/PDA

Remarks

Handset 20: Samsung S8

Handset Maker

Samsung

Handset Model Name

S8

FCC ID

A3LSMG950U

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

700 MHz LTE
850 MHz CDMA
1700 MHz LTE
1900 MHz CDMA
2.4 GHz Wi-Fi
5.0 GHz Wi-Fi

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 05/17 to 12/17

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T3

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Smartphone/PDA

Remarks

Handset 21: Samsung S8 Plus

Handset Maker

Samsung

Handset Model Name

S8 Plus

FCC ID

A3LSMG955U

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

700 MHz LTE

850 MHz CDMA

1700 MHz LTE

1900 MHz CDMA

2.4 GHz Wi-Fi

5.0 GHz Wi-Fi

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 05/17 to 11/17

Ratings

M-Rating: M3

T-Rating: T3

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Smartphone/PDA

Remarks

Certification

This Report has been certified by:

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